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25X1 MEMORANDUM FOR: [REDACTED]

Office of General
Counsel/Legislative
Counsel

SUBJECT: Chronological List of Events Relating to Disarmament and
Nuclear Test Ban Discussions.

Within the limitations of our files, we have reviewed the subject list per your informal request. We suggest the following:

1. For April 25, 1962, restate the comment to read -- The US atmospheric tests began near Christmas Island with the detonation of a medium-yield device.
2. For April 26, 1962, restate the comment to read -- Secretary of State Rusk stated that since the Soviet Union has refused to accept the kind of international verification necessary for a test ban agreement, the US is justified in proceeding with additional nuclear tests. The Secretary of State referred
3. In general, we suggest that either the historical present or past tense be used throughout the list; not both.

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